

**BUSINESS REPORT**

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE**

**Date:** Thursday, February 5, 2009  
**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 8:00 am  
**Room:** 152

**BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Add Postponed (PP) when appropriate:

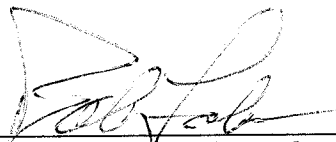
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**EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:**

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Enter P(pass) F(failed) DPAA (do pass as amended) BC(be concurred in) BC AA (be concurred in as amended):

<u>HB 113 - tabled</u>	<u>SB 23 - BC</u>	<u>SB 116 - BC</u>	<u>SB 181 - BC</u>
<u>HB 262 - P</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
<u>HB 299 - Tabled</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
<u>HB 315 - P</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>

**COMMENTS:**



\_\_\_\_\_  
REP. Bob Lake, Chairman

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

DATE: 2-5-09

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
Bob Lake, Chair	✓	
Jill Cohenour, Vice-Chair	✓	
Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	✓	
Dick Barrett	✓	
Mark Blasdel	✓	
Edward Butcher	✓	
Wanda Grinde	✓	
Robin Hamilton	✓	
Brian Hoven	✓	
Mike Jopek	✓	
Dave McAlpin	✓	
Mike Miller	✓	
Art Noonan	✓	
JP Pomnichowski	✓	
Lee Randall	✓	
J. David Roundstone	✓	
Jon Sonju	✓	
Wayne Stahl	✓	
Chas Vincent	✓	
Brady Wiseman		✓



## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 262** (first reading copy – white) do pass as amended.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

*Bob Lake*  
Representative Bob Lake, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, page 1, line 5.

**Following:** "HEATER"

**Insert:** "AND AN OUTDOOR HYDRONIC HEATER"

2. Title, page 1, line 6.

**Strike:** "DEFINING "MASONRY HEATER";"

3. Page 2, line 1.

**Following:** "appliance"

**Insert:** "that is:

(i) "

4. Page 2, line 2.

**Following:** "60.533; or"

**Insert:** "or"

(ii) qualified for the phase 2 white tag under the U.S. environmental protection agency method 28 OWHH for outdoor hydronic heaters;

5. Page 2, line 4.

**Following:** "heater"

**Insert:** "constructed or installed in compliance with the requirements for masonry heaters in the International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings"

6. Page 2, line 5 through line 23.

**Strike:** subsection (7) in its entirety

**Committee Vote:**

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required \_\_

HB0262001SC.hjd

**Renumber:** subsequent subsections

7. Page 3, line 16.

**Following:** line 15

**Strike:** "in"

**Insert:** "to provide heat for"

8. Page 3, line 19.

**Strike:** "(a)"

**Strike:** "Subject" through "a"

**Insert:** "A"

9. Page 3, line 20.

**Following:** "15-32-102,"

**Strike:** "in"

**Insert:** "to provide heat for"

10. Page 3, line 24 through line 26.

**Strike:** subsection (b) in its entirety

- END -



## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 315** (first reading copy – white) **do pass.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Representative Bob Lake, Chair*

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**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 20, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required \_\_\_\_

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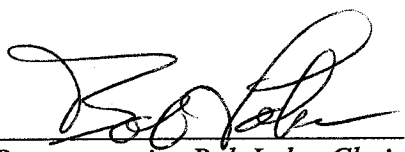
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **Senate Bill 23** (third reading copy – blue) be **concurred in**.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

  
*Representative Bob Lake, Chair*

To be carried by Representative Janna Taylor

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 14, No 6**

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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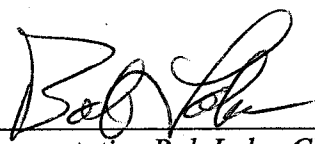
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **Senate Bill 116** (third reading copy – blue) be concurred in.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

  
*Representative Bob Lake, Chair*

To be carried by Representative Pat Noonan

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required \_\_\_\_

SB0116001SC06271.hjd



## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **Senate Bill 181** (third reading copy – blue) be **concurred in**.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Representative Bob Lake, Chair*

To be carried by Representative Bob Lake

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 20, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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## COMMITTEE FILE COPY

### TABLED BILL

The **HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE** TABLED HB 113, by motion, on **Thursday, February 5, 2009**.

  
(For the Committee)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk of the House)

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(Time) (Date)

February 5, 2009

Jennifer O'Loughlin, Secretary

Phone: 444-4745

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**COMMITTEE FILE COPY**

**TABLED BILL**

The **HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE** TABLED **HB 299**, by motion, on **Thursday, February 5, 2009**.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(For the Committee)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk of the House)

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(Time) (Date)

February 5, 2009

Jennifer O'Loughlin, Secretary

Phone: 444-4745

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HS 2 - amendment 1

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## Roll Call Vote

### TAXATION COMMITTEE

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO HS2 MOTION NO. amendment #1  
 MOTION: be amended

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair		/	
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	✓		
Rep. Dick Barrett		✓	
Rep. Mark Blasdel	✓		
Rep. Ed Butcher	✓		
Rep. Wanda Grinde		✓	
Rep. Robin Hamilton		✓	
Rep. Brian Hoven	✓		
Rep. Mike Jopek		✓	
Rep. Dave McAlpin		✓	
Rep. Mike Miller	✓		
Rep. Art Noonan		✓	
Rep. JP Pomnichowski		✓	✓
Rep. Lee Randall	✓		
Rep. J. David Roundstone		✓	
Rep. Jon Sonju	✓		
Rep. Wayne Stahl	✓		
Rep. Chas Vincent	✓		
Rep. Brady Wiseman		✓	✓
Chairman Bob Lake	✓		

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H52 - amendment 2

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO H52 MOTION NO. amendment 2  
MOTION: be amended

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NO</u>	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Dick Barrett	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mark Blasdel		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Ed Butcher		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wanda Grinde	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Robin Hamilton	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Brian Hoven		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mike Jopek	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Dave McAlpin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mike Miller		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Art Noonan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. JP Pomnichowski	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Lee Randall		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. J. David Roundstone	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Jon Sonju		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wayne Stahl		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Chas Vincent		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brady Wiseman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chairman Bob Lake		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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H52

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO. H52 MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MOTION: do pass

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Dick Barrett		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mark Blasdel		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Ed Butcher		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wanda Grinde		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Robin Hamilton		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brian Hoven		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mike Jopek		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Dave McAlpin		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mike Miller		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Art Noonan		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. JP Pomnichowski		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Lee Randall		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. J. David Roundstone		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Jon Sonju		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wayne Stahl		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Chas Vincent		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brady Wiseman		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chairman Bob Lake		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

HB261

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

amendment

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO. 261 MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MOTION: be amended

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NO</u>	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Dick Barrett	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mark Blasdel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Ed Butcher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Wanda Grinde	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Robin Hamilton	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Brian Hoven	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mike Jopek	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Dave McAlpin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mike Miller	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Art Noonan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. JP Pomnichowski	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Lee Randall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. J. David Roundstone	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Jon Sonju	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Wayne Stahl	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Chas Vincent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Brady Wiseman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Chairman Bob Lake	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

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HB 299

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

DATE 2-5-09 <sup>HB</sup> BILL NO. 299 MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MOTION: do pass

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Dick Barrett		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mark Blasdel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Ed Butcher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Wanda Grinde		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Robin Hamilton		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brian Hoven	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mike Jopek		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rep. Dave McAlpin		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mike Miller	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Art Noonan		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. JP Pomnichowski		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Lee Randall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. J. David Roundstone		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Jon Sonju	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wayne Stahl	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Chas Vincent		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brady Wiseman		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chairman Bob Lake	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

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SB 23 - amendment

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## Roll Call Vote

### TAXATION COMMITTEE

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO 23 MOTION NO. SB 23 amendment  
 MOTION: be amended

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Dick Barrett		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mark Blasdel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Ed Butcher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Wanda Grinde		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Robin Hamilton		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Brian Hoven	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Mike Jopek		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Dave McAlpin		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Mike Miller		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Art Noonan		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. JP Pomnichowski		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Lee Randall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. J. David Roundstone		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Jon Sonju		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rep. Wayne Stahl	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Chas Vincent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rep. Brady Wiseman		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chairman Bob Lake	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

13-7  
no



SB 23

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**TAXATION COMMITTEE**

DATE 2-5-09 BILL NO SB 23 MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MOTION: be concurred in

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chair	✓		
Rep. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair	✓		
Rep. Dick Barrett	✓		
Rep. Mark Blasdel	✓		
Rep. Ed Butcher		✓	
Rep. Wanda Grinde	✓		
Rep. Robin Hamilton	✓		
Rep. Brian Hoven	✓		
Rep. Mike Jopek	✓		
Rep. Dave McAlpin	✓		
Rep. Mike Miller	✓		
Rep. Art Noonan	✓		
Rep. JP Pomnichowski	✓		
Rep. Lee Randall		✓	
Rep. J. David Roundstone	✓		
Rep. Jon Sonju		✓	
Rep. Wayne Stahl		✓	
Rep. Chas Vincent		✓	
Rep. Brady Wiseman	✓		✓
Chairman Bob Lake		✓	

14-6  
yes

**AUTHORIZED  
COMMITTEE PROXY**

I request to be excused from the

Taxation

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

John Brown

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

Amend HJ000202		✓
Amend HJ000215	✓	
HJ2 DP		✓

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO


Rep.



J. P. McNichols

(Signature)

Date

2/5/09

# AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the TAXATION

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT	AYE	NO
De Pass HB011301aj	✓	
Table HB113	✓	
HB026101aj	✓	
DP HB026102aj	✓	
DP HB262	✓	
DP HB299		✓
Table HB299	✓	
DP HB315	✓	
Amend SB02311aj		✓
SB23 D Cove	✓	
Di Cove SB116	✓	
Di Cove SB181	✓	
Amend HB00202aj		✓
Amend HB00213aj	✓	

BILL/AMENDMENT	AYE	NO
HJ2 DP		✓

Rep. Andy Wiseman  
(Signature)

Date 2/5/09

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Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

*John C. Edwards*

**AYE NO**

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# AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the

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Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

HB 315	X	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO


Rep.

[Signature]

(Signature)

Date

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